MISSION:
PACE PROVIDES GIRLS AND YOUNG WOMEN AN OPPORTUNITY FOR A BETTER FUTURE THROUGH EDUCATION, COUNSELING, TRAINING AND ADVOCACY.

Pace is one of the only gender-responsive, trauma-informed, and strengths-based models for girls in the country, with a proven evidence base. A 2018 third-party random control trial evaluation by research firm MDRC, found that Pace nearly doubles the likelihood of girls being on track to graduate from high school as compared to girls with the same risk factors who did not attend Pace.

SERVING 23 COMMUNITIES IN FLORIDA AND GEORGIA.

3,000+ GIRLS SERVED each year
40,000+ GIRLS SERVED since 1985

Megan – Pace Volusia
Before attending Pace, I was dealing with depression, substance abuse, and hanging out with the wrong people. At Pace I built trust with my counselor and teachers, and they taught me about healthy ways to cope. I have made many changes in my life including getting a job, improving my grades and having a healthier relationship with my family. I have found the happiness I previously lost. I love surfing and riding horses, and hope to become a Zoologist.
PACE CENTER FOR GIRLS

Pace is a safe and supportive academic and wrap around social services model for girls, ages 11-17, that helps girls overcome challenges and prepare for their future. We focus on social and emotional wellbeing and academic success, to find the great in every girl.

80% WERE FAILING ONE OR MORE CLASSES PRIOR TO ATTENDING PACE

13% PRIOR INVOLVEMENT WITH THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM

56% WERE SUSPENDED OR EXPELLED PRIOR TO PACE

98% IMPROVED ACADEMICALLY AT PACE

90% NO INVOLVEMENT WITH THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM ONE YEAR AFTER COMPLETING PACE

90% GIRLS WERE IN SCHOOL, HIGHER EDUCATION OR EMPLOYED ONE YEAR AFTER COMPLETING PACE

106 GIRLS SERVED IN FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020

REVENUE

53% FL Department of Juvenile Justice

27% FL School Board

7% Grants

11% Contributions and In-kind

3% Federal Grant

EXPENSE

83% Program Services

10% Management & General

7% Fundraising

Expenses represent all Pace Centers and programs

Sponsored by the State of Florida Department of Juvenile Justice